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THE ALLIED DEADLOCK.

French Papers Blame Mr. Lloyd George.

Berlin, August 15.
Germany has paid £500,000 on account of the current instalment of £2,000,000 Clearing House Debts. During the past fortnight Germany has imported 131,000 tons of coal from England.
The breakdown of the Conference has produced the utmost alarm and uneasiness on the bourse and in business circles. The weakness of the mark removes any reliable basis of calculation, rendering business difficult and perhaps impossible, probably engendering a further increase in the cost of living.
The London newspapers vigorously refute M. Poincaré's assertion that Germany is stubbornly refusing to commit bankruptcy.
The Paris newspapers accuse Mr. Lloyd George of responsibility for wrecking the Conference and generally ascribe its breakdown to the publication of the Balfour Note, which did not permit Mr. Lloyd George to take steps towards a compromise.
Germany Can't Pay.

Berlin, August 16.
The Government has addressed a Note to the British, French, Italian and Belgian Governments, declaring that owing to foreign currency requirements for urgently-needed necessities of life, and the fall in the mark, it is unable to meet the Clearing House payment of £2,000,000 due to-day.
Military Action?
Paris, August 16.
It is stated that Marshal Foch and General Degoutte have been summoned to Rambouillet in connection with to-morrow's Cabinet meeting there.

THE EMPIRE WIRELESS DELAY.

Signor Marconi Regards it as Lamentable.

London, August 15.
At a meeting of the Marconi Wireless Company, Signor Marconi said last year was unprecedentedly difficult, but this year an improvement was already manifest. The profit was £375,000, there would be a dividend of ten per cent. on ordinary shares and £666,000 would be carried forward to credit of Profit and Loss Account. The company would shortly participate in the opening of wireless services between South America and North America and between South America and Europe. Similar services would shortly be opened for China and Japan.
Referring to the delay in the Empire wireless chain, Signor Marconi said the consequence might be that British commerce would be handicapped by slower and dearer communication, or its wireless messages might pass through France and Germany or the United States until the British high-power stations were ready. This was lamentable in view of the fact that Britain was the pioneer in long-distance wireless and it was a very high price to pay for somebody's indecision.

U.S. INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES.

Government Support in Operation of the Railways.

Washington, August 15.
In view of the failure of the efforts at mediation in the railway strike, it is understood that President Harding intends to invite the employers to operate the railways, pledging Government backing in their efforts to serve the public.
The President proposes shortly to make a comprehensive statement to Congress regarding the situation.
Cleveland, August 15.
The conference between Mr. Lewis (the miners' president) and the anthracite owners has been postponed to give Mr. Lewis time to negotiate a settlement of the soft-coal strike, negotiations concerning which are proceeding.

A Coal Settlement.

The bituminous strike has been settled.

COUNTY CRICKET.

A Re-Shuffle Among the Leaders.

London, August 15.
At the Oval, Surrey defeated Middlesex (the champions) by nine wickets. For the victors Hobbs scored 112.
At Leyton, Essex beat Gloucester by 105 runs. In the losers' second innings Smith scored 131.
At Hastings, Leicestershire beat Sussex by 23 runs. Gilligan, for the losers, captured eleven wickets for 100 runs.
At Taunton, Kent beat Somerset by 135 runs. For the winners Bryan scored 118 in the second innings.
At Birmingham, Warwick beat Northants by an innings and 29 runs.
At Worcester, Glamorgan led the home county on the first innings. In the victors' first innings Riches scored 124.
At Bradford, Hants defeated Yorks by five wickets. For the winners, Kennedy captured eleven wickets for 73.
At Liverpool, Lancashire defeated Derby by eleven wickets. In the winners' second innings Hallows scored 102 not out.

THE LATE LORD NORTHCLEFFE.

Tributes from America.

New York, August 15.
President and Mr. Harding, through the British Embassy, have sent a message of condolence to Lady Northcliffe, expressing appreciation of Lord Northcliffe's high qualities, exceptional ability and dominant personality and his services to mankind. The newspapers pay tribute to Lord Northcliffe as one of the greatest figures in modern journalism and especially praise his endeavours to promote Anglo-American friendship.
Royal Sympathy.
London, August 15.
Their Majesties the King and Queen, Queen Alexandra, Princess Victoria and the Duke of Connaught have sent messages of condolence to Lady Northcliffe.

FRESH GENERAL STRIKE IN PORTUGAL.

Misapprehension as to Government Concession.

London, August 15.
Reuter's correspondent at Lisbon learns that yesterday the union leaders ordered a fresh general strike in consequence of the workmen resuming on the 11th inst. under a mistaken impression that the Government had made a concession on the bread question. The order has been partially obeyed, but it is anticipated that a general strike will ensue if the railmen obey and thereby attract

HOLT'S BIG DEAL.

Eastern Shipping Co.'s Interests Purchased.

COST OVER A MILLION DOLLARS.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Singapore, August 16.
Messrs. Alfred Holt, who some months ago effected what amounts to an amalgamation with the Straits Steamship Company, which is dominant in Malayan waters, are now reported to have acquired the Eastern Shipping Company's fleet and interests for \$1,300,000.

The deal includes fifteen coasters, the drydock at Prai, the engineering shop and slipway at Sungai Nyok and the ferry service from Butterworth to Penang. The vessels will run in conjunction with the Straits boats and provide a feeder service for the Blue Funnel liners.

SHANGHAI SHIPPING STRIKE ENDS.

A Victory for the Union.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Shanghai, August 16.
The China Merchants Steam Navigation Co. has agreed to meet the seamen's demands, paying wages asked, as from July 1st.

The demands drawn up by the Seamen's Union, which it was announced represented an irreducible basis for entering upon negotiation, were:—(1) The wages of all seamen to be increased by 30 per cent. and river stevedores by 20 per cent., as also coasters; (2) The increase to be retrospective from the beginning of the year; (3) No reduction of salary or imposition of penalties to be undertaken on the strikers in the event of the resumption of work; (4) No member of the Union to be discharged from a ship owned by a signatory company without the permission of the Union which will examine the case on its merits; (5) Each seaman to receive wages being paid to No. 1 fireman or a sailor.

SUN'S MANIFESTO.

Chan King-ming Blamed

Shanghai, August 16.—Dr. Sun Yat-sen to-day issued a manifesto, a feature of which is his reference to the "Canton revolution." The "real facts are," he says, "that Chan King-ming instigated the Second Division to commence the attack, first looting, then bombarding and committing incendiarism. Chan King-ming was determined to destroy the Government and drive me into a death-trap, but I escaped and he accordingly tried to camouflage his attempted assassination as a movement to force me into political retirement."

As regards the present situation in China to-day, Dr. Sun says the Constitutionalist movement will terminate when Parliament is again functioning completely and freely. What, however, is immediately urgent is to devise means for security and permanent peace. He still thinks his scheme of forming labour battalions out of disbanded soldiers is a good prescription for the national ills.

MORE MACAO TROUBLE.

Two Colonial Soldiers Murdered.

News of further trouble reaches us from our Macao correspondent, who states that on the night of the 13th, instant two colonial soldiers from Timor were assassinated whilst on patrol duty.

It appears that the affair occurred on the road to Green Island and that after the soldiers were killed their rifles were carried away by the assassins. The police are carrying out investigations into the affair, and all houses in the vicinity are being searched.
A later version is that, as a result of a quarrel, a Timor soldier shot two others in the same regiment on the morning of the 13th. The tragedy occurred some way out of the town. At first it was thought that the crime might have been committed by Chinese. Investigation, however, showed that a Timor soldier was responsible. He has been placed under arrest.

DUCKS WITHOUT WATER.

S.P.C.A. Prosecution.

The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals brought its first prosecution this morning when Mr. Fred Fisher, its recently-appointed Inspector, charged two stall-holders of the Wanchai Market with cruelty to ducks by depriving them of water.

Evidence was given by Mr. Fisher, who said that his appointment was approved, though not officially recognised, by the Government. He deposed that on the 18th, instant he visited stall No. 50 in Wanchai Market and perceived a number of ducks which did not appear to have been regularly supplied with water, as no receptacle for that purpose was seen anywhere near them. When he questioned one of the two defendants, the latter said that the reason why he did not keep the ducks supplied with water was that he feared they would be spoiled and rendered unfit for sale.

This allegation was denied by the defendant in question when he replied to the Magistrate. He never used those words, he said. His Worship convicted the defendants and fined them \$20 each.

COINERS' HEAD-QUARTERS.

Raided by Police.

The Headquarters of a notorious gang of counterfeiters who have been flooding the Colony and other parts of the Far East with other coins are believed to have been broken up in a raid which the police under the personal direction of the Deputy Superintendent of Kowloon (Mr. T. H. King) conducted at Patamoon Island within the waters of this Colony yesterday. On the arrival of the police launch, the masked in which the gang were staying was surrounded by members of the Water Police and two men were arrested, following the discovery of a coiners' outfit complete with dies, engraving tools, etc.
The prisoners will be charged before the Magistrate in due course.

BANK SUES LOCAL FIRM.

Deals in Exchange.

The Bank of Canton, Ltd., brought an Original Jurisdiction action, relating to exchange contracts, against the British Chinese Trading Co., before Mr. Justice Wood, this morning.

By contracts in writing dated March 10th and April 7th, 1920, (according to plaintiff's claim) through the agency of a broker, Mr. P. A. Jamsetjee, defendants agreed to purchase \$4,000 (gold) and \$25,000 (gold). By a contract dated April 7th, 1920, they agreed to sell \$375,000 (gold).

Defendants failed to take delivery of the \$275,000. Plaintiffs claimed \$59,820.86 (Hongkong) damages and interest until payment or judgment at 8 per cent. per annum.
Defendants denied that they had at any time made or authorised the contracts in question. At all material times, as plaintiffs well knew, nobody was authorised to enter into contracts on defendant's behalf unless the contracts were signed by or chopped with the private chop of Chin Tin-cho, the defendant, (trading under the style of the British Chinese Trading Co.). The contracts in question were not signed or chopped.

In reply to this, plaintiffs submitted that defendant's representative, that Mr. J. M. Xavier, manager of the defendant firm, had authority to effect exchange contracts on behalf of the firm. The exchange contracts were made in faith of such representation.

Plaintiffs contended that, by usage by the Hongkong exchange market, exchange contracts were effected by and through exchange brokers, by whom only such contracts were signed on behalf of both parties thereto. Mr. Xavier was authorised to effect exchange contracts in accordance with such usages. Alternatively, defendants held out Mr. Xavier, or permitted him to be held out, as having authority.
Mr. F. C. Jenkin (instructed by Messrs. Johnson, Stokes and Master) represented plaintiffs, and Mr. C. G. Alabaster and Mr. E. Potter (instructed by Messrs. G. K. Hall Brutton and Co.) appeared for the defence.

Mr. Jenkin, in his opening, explained that the British Chinese Trading Co., was started in 1918, the sole proprietor being Mr. Chin Tin-cho. Mr. Chin apparently chose, as was not unusual among these businesses which came into being during the war and after the war, a western name and engaged a non-Chinese manager. In August, 1919, he engaged Mr. J. M. Xavier. Mr. Chin Tin-cho was habitually absent from the office, Counsel mentioned, and left the running of it to Mr. Xavier.

News in To-day's New Advertisements.

Komoro's advertise new afternoon and evening gowns.—Page 4.
The Dairy Farm have received a fresh consignment of fish from the Scottish Fisheries.—Page 7.
Knitted neckwear is advertised by Wm. Powell Ltd.—Page 7.
There are flats to let in Kowloon.—Page 4.
The Marine Engineers' Guild of China will hold its monthly meeting on Friday.—Page 4.
Lammert Bros. are auctioning miscellaneous goods at Holt's Wharf on Friday.—Page 4.

LISTEN!

A firm's advertising is a service to its friends and an invitation to others to become friends.

The Peak Hospital is for sale.—Page 4.
"The Jungle Goddess" is being shown at the Kowloon Theatre to night.—Page 12.
Watch out for "The Devil to Pay"—Page 7.
The Ming Yuen Studio has pictures of the Swatow typhoon disaster.—Page 2.
The a.s. Benvorlich has arrived from Europe and consignees are given the usual notice on Page 5.

To-Day's Exchange.

The closing rate of the dollar on demand to-day was 2s. 6.13/16d.

The Weather.

2 p.m. Barometer:—29.63. Temperature:—85. Humidity:—75.

Lighting Up-Time.

Lighting-up time to-day, 6.54 p.m.

THE IRISH FIGHTING.

More National Successes.

London, August 15.
A Limerick message states that the Nationals occupied Killarney unopposed, as the Irregulars fled.
A Dublin message states that six hundred Irregulars have attacked Dundalk. Trains from Dublin are not running beyond Drogheda, which appears still to be in the Nationals' hands. Nationals have occupied Bultavant.

TREATIES REGISTERED WITH THE L.O.N.

A Total of Three Hundred.

Geneva, August 15.
So far the League of Nations has registered three hundred treaties, including a batch of sixty just received from Germany, the chief of which terminates the war with the United States. Two others, which came from Japan arising out of the Washington decisions, concerned Yap and Shantung.

MAJOR BLAKE'S FLIGHT.

His Aeroplane Sold in Calcutta.

Calcutta, August 15.
Major Blake's aeroplane (which has developed engine trouble) was auctioned for 1,700 rupees to European resident aviators. He will probably leave for Rangoon in a Fairay aeroplane on Wednesday.

THE ROYAL DUTCH COMPANY.

Amsterdam, August 15.
At a meeting of the Royal Dutch Company, Dr. August Phillips, former Netherlands Minister to Washington, was unanimously elected Director in succession to Dr. Colyn, resigned.

EXTENSIVE FLOODS IN INDIA.

Calcutta, August 15.
Extensive floods are reported from the Midnapore district, Bengal. Over a hundred square miles are inundated. The Government has arranged relief measures.

ARCHDUKE'S ESTATE CONFISCATED.

Buda Pest, August 15.
The Hungarian Treasury has confiscated the Kiseleff estate of Archduke Franz Ferdinand, comprising 30,000 hectares.

THE CHAMPIONSHIP CHANGES HANDS.



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EARLIER SPECIAL
TELEGRAMS.STRAITS RETRENCHMENT
AGITATION.

From the Straits Times.
In the Legislative Council it
was announced that the Govern-
ment had adopted certain recom-
mendations of the Retrenchment
Committee. The announcement at
question time produced a line of
question from the Opposition.
Great public interest is being
taken in the matter. A meeting
will be held on Sunday at the
Straits and Malayan Council
Hall at Port Swettenham.
The purpose is to discuss the
retrenchment proposals.

JAPANESE CONSUL
GENERAL.

Mr. Seichi Takahashi has been
appointed Consul General at
Hongkong.

SHANGHAI TENNIS
CHAMPIONS.

Shanghai, Aug. 15.
Dawson and Roberts defeated
Shepherd and Wade in the final of
the Doubles, 1-6, 6-4, 6-2, 7-5.

SHIPPING DEAL.

Singapore, Aug. 15.
It is reported that H.M.S. which
was chartered by the Straits
Steamship Company, are also
buying the Eastern Shipping Com-
pany, Penang.

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EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

THE LONDON CONFERENCE.

London, Aug. 15.
The breakdown of the Conference is generally deeply deplored.
M. Poincaré reaffirmed that France is now free to take independent
action against Germany if outvoted on the Reparations Commission,
but it is hoped she will refrain from such perilous action which
Coalition organs think, signify the tearing up of the Treaty of
Versailles. It is hoped that a harmonious solution will yet be found,
possibly by a later Conference, at which Reparations and inter-
Allied debts will be considered together. It appears that at the
last stage of the Conference France stood alone in refusal to
final compromise on the proposals, involving an adjournment until
after the Allies have carried out the funding operations with
the United States and the immediate application of the guarantees
already demanded from Germany by the Committee on Guarantees.
It is pointed out by the Independent Liberal organs that Mr.
Lloyd George might still secure an acceptable settlement by offer-
ing to remit France's war debts in return for a more reasonable
view on reparations. The Coalition organs reason with France
in friendly but more or less strong terms. The Morning Post and
Times concur in thinking that new men are needed to take the
reins of British policy, the cornerstone of which should, according
to the Post, be a sensible understanding with France. The Daily
Mail declares that the British people are not going to allow any
British administration to quarrel with an ally for the satisfaction
of the Germans.

The Austrian Note.

It appears that the Austrian Note, considered by the
Conference, requested a further loan of fifteen million sterling,
declaring that unless the money was forthcoming, the Government
would be obliged to declare their inability to carry on.
Mr. Lloyd George pointed out that twelve and a half millions
had already been advanced without appreciable improvement. It
was only fair to tell the League of Nations that the Powers all
felt the extreme difficulty of making further subscriptions.

THE LATE LORD NORTHCLEE.

London, Aug. 15.
The death of Lord Northcliffe has evoked most numerous ex-
pressions of grief both at home and abroad. Expressions of
sympathy flowed into Lady Northcliffe throughout yesterday, the
sisters including President Harding, Mr. Hughes, and M. Mil-
lerand.

His life story is featured in all the morning papers, which
term Lord Northcliffe the prince of journalists and dwell on the
greatness of his genius and the tremendous power he wielded.
His remarkable achievements in transforming the news-
paper world and his great human qualities. His devotion to Bri-
tain and the Empire are emphasized by numerous leader writers.
Wide acknowledgment is made of the beneficent part he played in
promoting the Irish settlement. The Northcliffe organs pay the
warmest tributes to him, both as man and employer. The
Times says that his greatness and genius were beyond question.
The Daily Mail that he was a great journalist and patriot and the
Daily Telegraph that he was a great man and great Englishman.

The Morning Post says his essential greatness was undeniable
and the Chronicle terms his death a poignant human tragedy.
The Daily Graphic says that his purpose was to make a better,
stronger and happier Empire and his wholehearted patriot services to
the State were invaluable. A more critical note is voiced by the
Independent Liberal and Labour organs. The Daily News says
his genius gathered the greatest congregation that ever assembled,
but he had nothing to say that mattered. The Daily Herald says
his vast influence was used almost consistently for evil on general
questions of public policy.

THE OPIUM TRAFFIC.

London, Aug. 15.
The League of Nations announces that twenty of its members,
including the principal European countries, with Germany and also
China, India, Japan, Siam and the British Colonies have accepted
the system of import certificates recommended by the Opium
Advisory Commission.

The Daily News is a tribute to the League's accomplishment,
says that a certain degree of illicit traffic in opium will no doubt
survive, as it survived in the slave trade in face of an international
agreement, but an enormous moral gain is that the countenance
of Governments has been withdrawn therefrom and that condign
punishment will hereafter follow its detection. Britain by her
leading part in the change had done something to atone for the
long disgrace of her enforcement of Indian opium upon China.

U. S. LABOUR TROUBLES.

Washington, Aug. 15.
The leaders of the non-striking organisations, after conferring
with President Harding, announced that they would continue their
efforts for mediation in the shopmen's strike.

San Francisco, Aug. 15.
The strike of operatives of the Union Pacific Railway has been
called off. Four trains left immediately Eastward.

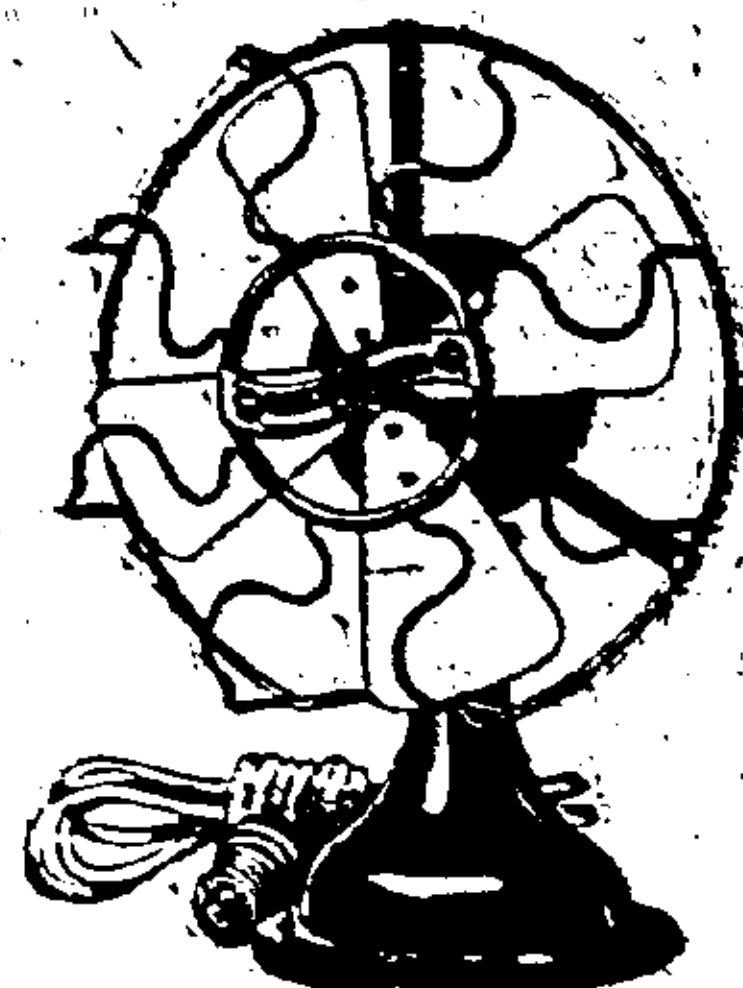
Cleveland, Aug. 15.
The soft coal strike in Central and Western Pennsylvania,
Indiana, Illinois, North West Virginia and Michigan will probably
end to-day. The miners and operators agreed in principle on a
wage scale. The output of the mines will be affected to the ex-
tent of sixty million tons annually.

ANOTHER MARK RECORD.

London, Aug. 15.
A sensational new low value record for the Mark was re-
gistered early to-day when, in consequence of the breakdown of
the London Conference, the price receded to 4,530 to the pound,
compared with 3,370 yesterday. Other currencies depreciated sym-
pathetically.

THE DAVIS CUP.

Boston, Aug. 15.
In the Davis Cup competition Patterson (Australia) defeated
Cochet (France) 6-2, 2-6, 6-4, 6-2.

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PEKING MUKDEN
RAILWAY.

Peking, Aug. 15.—Mr. J. J. Simpson
has returned from Muk-
den whether he went to investigate
questions concerning the Peking-
Mukden Railway and the Man-
churian salt revenue. He states
that after a great deal of
discussion Chang Tiao-lin con-
sented to restore the selling
stock and allow resumption of
ordinary traffic on one condition,
which he communicated to the
President this morning and which
would be available for publication
as soon as the matter had been
considered by the Government.
Regarding the salt question the
position was more complicated.
Chang Tiao-lin's position being
that inasmuch as other provinces
were retaining their salt collections
and Fengtien had retained 4,180,
000 million dollars to the Govern-
ment this year, it would require a
special salt conference at Peking of
all provinces to secure a general
resumption of payments.—Reuter.

JAPAN MILITARY
REORGANIZATION.

Tokyo, Aug. 15.—The first steps
toward military reorganization were
taken to-day when seven Artillery
regiments were disbanded and 225
Field Officers, including forty two
of the rank of General, officially
placed on the waiting list.—
Reuter.

U.S. BASEBALL.

AUGUST 6.—
AMERICAN LEAGUE—
New York 11, Detroit 6.
Cleveland 3, Boston 2.
Pittsburgh 5, Chicago 1.
St. Louis 8, Washington 4.

NATIONAL LEAGUE—
Cincinnati 6, Brooklyn 3.
Chicago 10, New York 3.
No other games.

STANDING OF TEAMS:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

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Vladivostok, Aug. 14.—A large
body of Hunbuses attacked the
Harbin-Vladivostok express near
Pyramnitchnia, robbing all the
passengers. During a gun fight,
four Japanese soldiers were killed
and seven wounded. The Hunbuses
were driven off by Chinese troops
from the neighbouring Chinese
station.
China, on principle, has decided to
turn over to the Amur railway to
Moscow, owing to China being with-
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CENTRAL.

FILIPINO CHARGED.

The Pacific Mail Case.

The hearing commenced at the
Magistrate's yesterday afternoon of
the case in which a young Filipino
named Filij Anzueto was charged
with being found in the office of
the Pacific Mail Steamship Com-
pany, Union Building, on the night
of the 1st, with intent to commit
a felony, with assaulting Chinese
police constable 194 with intent to
resist or prevent lawful apprehen-
sion, with possession of an auto-
matic pistol and six rounds of am-
munition without a permit from the
Police, and with unlawful posses-
sion of a jemmy, an electric torch,
four files and five fretwork saws.In reply to Mr. Leo d'Almeida,
counsel for the defence, the Mag-
istrate (Mr. E. W. Hamilton) said
that he proposed to commit the
defendant on all four charges.Tong Yuk, an office coolie of the
Pacific Mail, deposed that part of
his duty was to sweep up the
floors after office hours. After the
staff had knocked off work at 5
p.m. on the 1st, inst., the main
door at the corner was locked
and the door of the company's
office on Chater Road was bolted.Going up the cockpit at 11 p.m.
that night to get a canvas
bag he noticed that a man, whom
he generally placed under one of
the desks, was missing. He look-
ed under another desk and saw the
defendant crouching behind the
rug, which was on its edge. Wit-
ness challenged him and he said
"Who is there?" apparentlystartled the intruder, who rose from
his hiding place and, dashing past
him, ran downstairs. Witness
was alone. By the light which
was on one of the desks he saw
clearly that the man was the de-
fendant as he ran past him.The defendant opened the door on
Chater Road and ran into the street,
with witness in pursuit. He shout-
ed out "Stealing," attracting the
attention of a constable on duty in
Des Voeux Road who blew a police
whistle and joined in the chase.Leading by about twenty to thirty
feet the defendant ran towards the
Post Office and turned on to the
Praya. He was finally intercepted
near the Queen's Dispensary by
another Chinese constable. When
the policeman threw his arms
round the defendant the latter drew
out something from under the side
of his coat and thrust it at the
constable, but what was in the
man's hand witness could not say.When he came up to the defendant
the constable shouted out, "Fire-
arms."

Always in Sight.

In reply to the Magistrate, the
witness said that from the time he
challenged the man in the office to
the time of his arrest he never lost
sight of him, not even when he
rounded the two corners during the
chase.The evidence of the next witness,
Tong Yu, head boy of the Pacific
Mail Company, was that after the
defendant's arrest he asked a
constable to accompany him back
to the office as he was afraid de-
fendant had some accomplices on the
premises. Under a desk in the
cockpit (the one indicated by the
last witness as being the desk un-
der which the accused was hiding)
the constable found the torch, saw-
s, etc.Another coolie of the firm stated
that on being stopped the de-
fendant poked the muzzle of a revolver
against the chest of the constable.
The latter raised his hand as if to
ward off the blow and a revolver
fell on the ground. This was
picked up by another constable
after the defendant had been over-
powered.That the defendant was brought
into the office by Mendoza, a
clerk of the company, about 9 p.m.
on the 1st, was alleged by a mes-
senger. The witness said that he
saw Mendoza leaving at 10.30
alone.Evidence that the defendant
had no right whatever to be on the
premises at 11 p.m. was given by
Mr. E.M. Wilson, Chief Account-
ant, whose office is in the cockpit.
Mr. Wilson said that he thought he
had seen the defendant in the office
before. Mendoza was a clerk in
his department. He was not
surprised that Mr. Mendoza should
return to the office on the night in
question as he sometimes had to
work in the evening.The Magistrate asked whether
Mr. Mendoza would be justified
in taking a friend to the office. Mr.
Wilson replied that it would be
an indication on his part to do
so.In reply to further questions
witness stated that there was not
more than \$1,000 in his safe that
night. He believed the company had
about \$5,000 in his office. The
stand slept all over the office and
a that could do very little without
disturbing them. Mr. MendozaRACECOURSE
FACILITIES.

A Paddock and A Lawn.

At a well-attended meeting
of the Jockey Club held yesterday
afternoon, the Chairman (Sir
William Rees-Davies), outlined
the proposed alterations to the
premises. These proposals were
subsequently embodied in a re-
solution and approved un-
animously.Sir William said: This Meeting
is called to consider the proposed
alterations in the Jockey Club
premises. The stewards are in
favour of the alterations, but as
the changes are of a radical
character the Stewards desire to
ask the approval of members be-
fore finally sanctioning the altera-
tions.We propose to effect a change in
the stabling for the ponies from
the present position to the place
where the pari-mutuel has hitherto
been situated.We also propose to provide a
good size paddock in proximity to
the stables where the ponies can be
walked and seen before each race,
the paddock to extend to the pre-
sent main entrance. This we con-
sider a desirable improvement.The alterations will also give a
private enclosure for members, and
it is proposed to use the premises
now used for the pari-mutuel under
the Grand Stand as a pari-mutuel
for members only.The lawn from opposite the
weighing room would be railed in
up to the front rail guarding the
course. This would give the gen-
eral public a large enclosure
up to the Wong Nei Chung end,
and it is proposed that the
pari-mutuel and cab sweep for the
general public be established in the
place of the present stables and
under the private stands.As to the entrance to the
course it is proposed to use the
entrance facing the Cemetery for
members only, and to provide an
entrance for the general public at
the Wong Nei Chung end. The
present main entrance to be utilised
for the ponies and their mak-
ers only.The main objects of the proposed
alterations are to relieve the
congestion which now exists in the
proximity of the Judges box and to
utilise the spacious lawn which at
present is practically waste space.Mr. Leask, of Messrs. Leigh &
Orange, the Club's architects, is
present and will ask him to state
the tenders which have been
received for the carrying out of the
work.The tenders were read, after
which the plans were approved.was still in the Company's employ.
He was a faithful servant.

Magistrate's Warning.

Relating his acquaintanceship
with the accused Mr. F. Mendoza
stated that returning home on or
about the 24th July his wife in-
formed him that she had arranged
to accommodate the defendant at
their house, 36 Lee House Street.
The defendant said that he had
just arrived from Manila. He had
called on him at the office several
times previously. On the night of
the 1st, inst., witness returned
to his office to work at about
9 o'clock. Whilst he was
typewriting in the cockpit the de-
fendant suddenly appeared and
said he was out for a stroll.After a very short conversation,
during which he asked witness
when he expected to finish, the de-
fendant said he was going away.
Witness said "Alright," and at
once assumed that the defendant
had what he said.In reply to the Magistrate Mr.
Mendoza said that from where he
was sitting it was very difficult to
see the top of the stairs whilst
working. He did not notice when
the defendant carried any par-
cel in his hand as he only turned
his head when he spoke to him. On
leaving the office about 9.30
witness noticed nothing strange.
He told one of the "boys" to lock
the door after him.The Magistrate: During the time
the defendant was staying with you,
how did you find him?
Witness: I have not observed
anything particular about him. He
went out very often during the day
and did not return until about 10
p.m.In reply to the Magistrate
witness said that he had never
asked the defendant to see him in
his office. Witness gave an em-
phatic denial that he took the de-
fendant to the office that night.The Magistrate: Remember this
is a serious matter. If you don't
tell the truth you commit perjury.
Whether it is in your interest or
not you must tell the truth. Do you
tell me that you did not go to your
office with the defendant?Witness: No, Sir.
The case was adjourned until
Friday afternoon, 25th inst.

THE SANITARY BOARD.

Water Closets and
Storage Tanks.A meeting of the Sanitary Board
was held yesterday afternoon.
There were present Mr. T. W.
Trotman (Chairman), the Hon. Mr.
T. L. Perkins (Director of Public
Works), Mr. S. W. Tso, Mr. Chow
Shan-son, Mr. W. W. Pearce
(Medical Officer of Health) and Mr.
C. M. W. Reynolds (Secretary).The Chairman moved that an
application for permission to erect
three water closets on Rural
Building Lot No 190 Severn Road,
Peak, be granted subject to the
following recommendations: (1) The
installation shall only be made
when the Director of Public Works
certifies that the water supply is
available; (2) That storage
cisterns, if provided, shall be
screened to prevent their breeding
mosquitoes; (3) That the servan-
latrines shall also be constructed
on the water carriage system.The Medical Officer of Health
suggested the advisability of a
small storage tank in order to meet
requirements should the water be
cut off from the main during
repairs.Danger of Storage Tanks.
Hon. Mr. Perkins: I quite
agree with the Medical Officer of
Health that a storage tank is
desirable, but they have a tendency
to get dirty and if the main
drinking water is drawn from the
same tank the advantage of having
a supply in an emergency would be
nullified since the water would
as often as not be dirty.The Chairman: Would it be con-
nected up?
Hon. Mr. Perkins: If it was not
there would be no drinking water.Medical Officer of Health: I
should certainly not have it con-
nected.Hon. Mr. Perkins: If it was not
connected I should raise no objec-
tion.The Chairman: You advise,
then, that we should not make it a
necessary condition.Mr. Perkins said that he would
like to reserve his opinion. He
would be very sorry to see it a uni-
versal custom.The Chairman then suggested an
amendment to the second recom-
mendation as follows: That if, in
the opinion of the Director of
Public Health, a storage tank is
advisable such tank shall be provid-
ed and shall be duly screened and
not connected with the house
supply.The Medical Officer of Health
then seconded the granting of the
application, subject to the recom-
mendations as amended, and the re-
solution was carried.Three other applications were
also granted under the same condi-
tions.THE SHIPPING STRIKE AT
SHANGHAI.China Merchants' S. N. Co.
Calls Meeting.With thirteen of their thirty-
four vessels tied up as a result of
the seamen's strike and the situa-
tion still dead-locked it is said
that the directors of the China
Merchants Steam Navigation
Company are considering calling
a general meeting of shareholders
to consider the seamen's demands.Eleven ships, already tied up
in the harbour were joined by two
others yesterday and to-day. The
crew of the Kiangyung struck upon
the arrival of the vessel yester-
day from Hankow and river ports,
and the Kwanglee's crew struck
this morning when the ship
arrived from Hongkong. The
Teonan is due to arrive from
Newchwang to-day and the
officers of the Chinese Seamen's
Union, Shanghai branch, said the
crew would walk out upon its
arrival.HONGKONG AWARD MOOTED
POINT.
No other companies, with the
exception of the San Peh line, are
affected by the strike. The San
Peh is said to be willing to grant
the strikers' demands for an in-
crease in pay but balk at being
forced to sign the Hongkong
agreement. The San Peh com-
pany, a short time ago was the
defendant in a suit brought by the
Marine Guild to enforce the
Hongkong award and won its
case.The directors of the China
Merchants held a meeting yester-
day afternoon at 5 o'clock
without results. It is said that
at the meeting the directors, re-
fusing to take the responsibility
for granting the seamen their
demands, suggested that a gen-
eral meeting of the shareholders
of the company be called to takefinal action in the matter. The
union is still holding out strong
for every point in their demands,
which include wage increases of
from 20 to 30 per cent. retroactive
to January 1, and the recognition
of the union.The Mowchong Steamship
Company met the demands of the
strikers yesterday and the crew
of the Chingchang, the only ship
held up by the strike, returned to
work. The vessel was to sail for
Foochow to-day.Despite rumours that were in
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He said that he had been very much surprised to find that the members of the House of Representatives were not doing their duty as they should.

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TWO NEW POLITICAL PARTIES FORMING.

Tuan Chi-jui and Tsao Kun As Leaders.

According to the Szechuan Daily, two great political parties are in the process of organization and will soon raise their standard in Parliament.

The first party is being promoted by M.P.'s from the Three Eastern Provinces and the Anhui elements of the discredited Anfu party with the object of agitating for the return of Marshal Tuan Chi-jui to power.

Much against his will, it is said, the promoters of this party are trying hard to obtain the consent of Tuan as leader of their organization.

Funds are being raised in Manchuria to finance the party. Chenkiang is believed to be also interested in the project, as shown by the recent visit of his son to Tientsin, where he got into touch with the promoters of this clique.

THE OTHER PARTY.

The other great political party is being promoted by Yangtze and will put forward Marshal Tsao Kun as its leader. The project is placed in the hands of Mr. Fien Shou-ching, the great schemer of the Chihli party, who has collected some \$1,000,000 as the initial organization expense of the party and will use it to buy the membership of those members of Parliament who have not yet joined any of the existing cliques.

It is believed in Chinese circles that the participation of these two parties in parliamentary politics will considerably diminish the influence that is now being wielded by such minor parties as the Yi Yue-hui, the Chen Hsueh-hui, the Tao Lun-hui, etc.

Whether this is to the benefit of the Nation is difficult to foretell now.

TUAN CHI-JUI AS CANDIDATE.

A traveller just returned from Tientsin is quoted as saying that the talk of offering the Premier ship to Marshal Tuan Chi-jui as a way out of the present Cabinet muddle which has been rife both in Peking and Tientsin for the last several days is gathering in strength in the latter city, where it is now considered as a question of practical politics.

Secret parties in this connection have been going on between Mr. Fien Shou-ching and the emissaries of various provinces, and while Marshal Tuan has so far given no indication of his desire to return to political life, great pressure is being brought to bear upon him to give up his seclusion.

It is feared that both Pankia and Mukden have pledged their support to Tuan, but General Wu Peifu is still reluctant.

THE House of Commons is ever grateful to those who minister to its well-being, and the Speaker has consented to present a banquet, subscribed by every member of the House, to Mr. Williams, the manager of the catering department, who has done so much to make the House comfortable.

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Optional Goods will be carried on unless instructions are given to the contrary before Noon, To-day.

Goods not cleared by the 21st August 1922, will be subject to rent.
Damaged packages must be left in the godowns for examination by the consignees and the Co's representatives at an appointed hour on Tuesday and Friday. All claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised. No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.
Agents.
Hongkong, 14th. August, 1922.

PEKING PARLIAMENT DENOUNCED.

Kuomintang Manifesto.

A declaration was issued on the 2nd. instant by one hundred M.P.s. in Shanghai, denouncing the members of the Peking Parliament and repudiating their representative character. Two reasons are given in the declaration why the Peking Parliament is an illegal body. The first is legal, the second political. Since the dissolution of Parliament in 1917, those who make up the present Parliament in Peking, men like Wang Ching-hsiang and Wu Ching-hen, have never been present at any of the extraordinary sessions of Parliament in Canton. On the contrary, they served either as paid advisors of the "Bogus" Peking Government, or as M.P.s. of the bogus Parli-

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Goods not cleared by the 21st Aug. at 5 p.m. will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed and damaged packages are to be left in the Godowns where they will be examined in the presence of consignees by Messrs. Goddard and Douglas, on 21st August 1922, at 10 a.m. Claims against the steamer including those for cargo short delivered must be presented on the special form provided and must also be submitted within 30 days of arrival otherwise they will not be recognised.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
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Agents.
Hongkong, 13th. Aug., 1922.

ment. This has disqualified them as members of the Old Parliament, and as disqualified members they have no right to call Parliament. The Parliament called under the auspices of Wang Ching-hsiang and Wu Ching-hen, cannot be regarded as a legal assembly in the eye of constitutional law. The second reason is that: the calling of an illegal body of men to pose as representatives of the people will only serve to increase the existing difficulties and to strengthen the hands of the militarists and usurpers of law. For these two reasons the one hundred odd M.P.s in Shanghai declare that the northern Parliament is an illegal body and the members composing it illegal representatives.

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THE ADMIRAL LINE.

The Steamship
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having arrived from Seattle, Wash. via ports, on 13th. instant consignees are hereby notified that their cargo is being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of The Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co. at Kowloon, and stored at consignees' risk.

Consignees of cargo must produce an Import Permit signed by the Superintendent of Imports and Exports, Hongkong, before Bills of Lading will be countersigned.

All broken, chafed and damaged cargo is to be left in the Godowns, where it will be examined at 10 a.m. on 19th. inst. by the Company's Surveyors, Messrs. Anderson and Ash.

All claims must be presented within thirty days of the steamer's arrival here, after which they cannot be recognised. No Claims will be recognised after the goods have left the Godowns, and cargo undelivered on and after August 21st. will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance whatever will be effected.

Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature immediately.

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Goods not cleared by the 19th. Aug., 1922, will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed and damaged packages are to be left in the godowns, where they will be examined on the 18th. Aug., 1922, at 10 a.m. by Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.

Claims against the steamer must be presented in writing within ten days after arrival of steamer, otherwise they will not be recognised.

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No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 23rd. Aug. will be subject to rent.

All claims against the steamer must be presented to the Under-Signed on or before the 1st Sept. or they will not be recognised.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns where they will be examined on the 23rd. Aug. at 10 a.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

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Hongkong, 16th. Aug., 1922.

SHANTUNG RLY. FUND.

Wu Pei-fu's Appeal.

General Wu Pei-fu has circulated a telegram to the country urging the people to raise funds at once for the redemption of the Kiaochow-Tsinan Railway from Japan.

Through the efforts of our diplomatic authorities strongly backed up by the people, an equitable settlement of the Shantung Question was secured at the recent Washington Conference. But since the opening of the Sino-Japanese Joint Commission in Peking the domestic situation has become more chaotic, while civil war has spread to every corner of the country. The people seem to have lost their former interest in the diplomatic problems of their country. Those who pledged to subscribe to the fund for the redemption of the Kiaochow-Tsinan Railway, have forgotten their words, while those who talked loudest about the necessity of raising funds, are silent now.

MUST FIND MONEY NOW.
Continuing General Wu discussed the necessity of raising the required amount at once. If the whole amount is not raised now, it will be difficult to do so later as the enthusiasm of the people is liable to cool down with the lapse of time. What is more, the honour of the Chinese people depends upon the successful redemption of the Railway. The people have definitely declared to the world that they will subscribe the money to buy out the Japanese. It is a declaration which is telegraphed to the whole world. Now if the people were unable to redeem their promise would not the world laugh at them? General Wu said that the time for rousing the people has come and that if the people let it slip by it is inevitable that they will be made an object of contempt, if not of ridicule, by the world. He concluded with an earnest appeal to his four hundred million brethren to raise the railway funds at once.

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CAPITAL SHIPS.

Lord Lee Defends Admiralty Policy.

Lord Lee of Fareham, replying in the House of Lords last month to questions from the Marquis of Linlithgow, made an important statement of Admiralty policy as affected by the Washington Treaty.

The questions included, a request for information:—
Whether the Government had reconsidered its decision to proceed with the construction of the two new capital ships sanctioned by the Washington Naval Treaty.

If so whether such change of policy had been due to developments in connection with either aerial or under-water attack.

Also, what was the relative position of the British Navy as compared with the navies of foreign Powers in the matter of post-Jutland ships.

Lord Lee said that the Government had not reconsidered its decision—nor did it intend to do so—to proceed with the construction of the two new capital ships.

He preferred not to go in detail into the technical question of what aircraft were or were not capable of in attacking surface vessels.

He did not want to say anything which would in any way suggest hostility or lack of sympathy on the part of the Admiralty to the Air Force.

NO NEW FACTORS.

For obvious reasons there was no portion of the fighting services more interested in the development of aircraft than the Navy.

There had been no new developments in connection with either aerial or under-water attack which necessitated any reversal of the decision to proceed with the two capital ships, nor any modification in the constructional designs already approved.

The Admiralty believed it was feasible to build capital ships which should be reasonable proof against any known, or so far as one could foresee, any likely methods of attack.

Designs for the purpose had already been worked out, and were ready for the builders use.

The two capital ships would not cost anything like 30 to 50 millions sterling, as had been represented. The Admiralty estimated that, with the present price of materials and labour, the two ships would cost six millions and a half each, or, including all accessories, reserve stores, float and ashore, something like eight millions each.

When they were completed four existing capital ships would have to be scrapped under the Washington agreement.

The saving effected in personnel would be 1,100 men, and the annual saving upkeep, &c., a quarter of a million pounds.

A SURPRISING CAMPAIGN.

The present relative position was as follows:—
The United States had three post-Jutland capital ships practically completed.

Japan had two actually completed.

Great Britain had only one built—partly before, partly after, Jutland.

Other countries had none.

Unless these two capital ships were proceeded with we should have to abandon the one-Power standard, and should fall to third place in the most vital portion of a fleet.

Such a course would be fatal to our prestige; incompatible with Government pledges.

It was surprising that the campaign against capital ships should be pursued in any responsible or instructed quarter, seeing that the whole question had been thrashed out by a special committee of the Committee of Imperial Defence.

THE CHINESE CONSTITUTION.

Proposal of South-Western Provinces.

The Southwestern provinces will hold a joint conference for the discussion of the questions connected with the federal autonomous government system. It is learned from Shanghai messages that the leaders of the provinces have been playing an active role in translating their ideas into fact, and representatives of Szechuan, Hunan, Kweichow, and Yunnan who have reached Shanghai have hired houses at Lao Ho Road for their assembly.

Besides, telegrams have been received from the provinces of Kwangtung and Kwangsi saying that their representatives would come to Shanghai in a day or two. It is said that prominent personages resident at Shanghai have also been invited to participate in the forthcoming conference.

In this connection, Mr. Chang Tai-yen, former leader of the Hsieh Luitang, is stated to have addressed a telegram to Mr. Lia Chih-yu, Chairman of the Hunan Provincial Assembly announcing the following points in favour of federal self-government:—(1) The provincial constitution of every province should be made by its people. (2) The civil-governors and officials should be elected among their fellow provincials. (3) The provincial civil-governors or officials will not be recognized if appointed by the Central Government. (4) The Central Government cannot transfer the provincial troops at its own will, except at the time of war, when the provincial governors will transfer certain forces to the control of the Central Government. (5) With the exception of those provinces bordering on foreign countries in which are to be quartered one Division at most of the National Defensive armies, none of the other provinces are allowed to be occupied and the national defensive navy will anchor off the coastal provinces. (6) The Customs and salt revenues and the receipts from communication sources are the only incomes of the Central Government, while the taxes collected in the provinces will be set aside for the expenditure of the provincial Governments, and the Central Government has no right to collect them. (7) If the Central Government intends to construct railways by issuing loan bonds this should be first approved by the provincial assemblies, otherwise the bonds in question will not be recognized. (8) In issuing loan bonds, the Central Government cannot use the property of, and the revenues collected in, any province as security. (9) The Central Government has no right to appoint and despatch certain Commissioners to any province. And (10) Those territories having not been demarcated as provinces should be brought under the direct control of the Central Government. In conclusion of his telegram Mr. Chang says that in case the Parliament could not make the Constitution in accordance with the foregoing terms, no province will agree to the National Constitution which is going to be constructed.—Shun Tien Shih Pao.

The First Lord, in conclusion, said that Sir Percy Scott declined to give the committee any assistance whatever. This, coupled with the fact that he had not had the advantage of serving in a capital ship for over 30 years, somewhat diminished the force and responsibility of his utterances.

Lord Lee preferred to rely on the advice of officers who served in the late war.

HOW SUZANNE KEPT HER CHAMPIONSHIP.

An Easy Win Over Mrs. Mallory.

Through a fortnight's magnificent play Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen last month emerged as the first lady champion of the new Wimbledon.

She arrived without the loss of a single set through a series of the biggest matches against the world's greatest players, and with colours flying bravely.

In turn she faced and beat with an unchallenged superiority Miss K. McKane—reckoned to be England's greatest player; Miss Ryan, perhaps, a still finer exponent of lawn tennis; Mrs. Bearcock, ex-champion of India and the present Middlesex champion.

Finally, Suzanne inflicted upon Mrs. Mallory, America's national champion, an overwhelming defeat with the score of 6-2, 6-0—a result which provides what is probably the most amazing score America's leading player has ever experienced.

Thus for four years Suzanne has held the title of world's lady champion on grass, and, throughout that matchless period at Wimbledon only Mrs. Lambert Chambers in 1919 captured a set from her.

Once more does Mlle. Lenglen become the great favourite of the tennis courts. She has weathered unfavourably a fortnight's galleries crowded with a critical audience; but on Saturday she converted that hostility into a magnificent ovation at the end.

KEPT HER HEAD.

Everyone was captivated by her matchless stroke play, by her perfect control of the ball, of the situation, and above all, of herself.

For months it has been said that Suzanne would never face Mrs. Mallory again—she had retired on that historic occasion at Forest Hills, U.S.A., after losing the first set.

But in confounding her detractors, and in playing one of the greatest games of her wonderful career on the tennis court, without the faintest hint of the emotions that might have occurred—and which were not altogether absent among the spectators—Suzanne again becomes the great popular idol.

It could truthfully be said in Kipling's famous words that she kept her head when those around her were losing theirs.

The young Frenchwoman's execution of the drives was perfect, her footwork was faultlessly controlled; while her placing of each ball, under pressure of a barrage of stinging shots to the lines, was the grandest thing any woman player has ever done.

A PLAYER'S VERDICT.

"I have never seen anything so wonderful," said Gerald Patterson after the match. "I know she could win easily, but I never anticipated such a score."

Suzanne took a pocketful of love service games; she kept Mrs. Mallory running at a breathless speed from side to side; she volleyed on occasion three and four times in a rally, and ultimately stowed the ball right away after working out the masterpiece.

It must not be thought the loser did not play well. Despite that second love set, almost every game furnished a long tug-of-war, nearly every one reached the call of deuce.

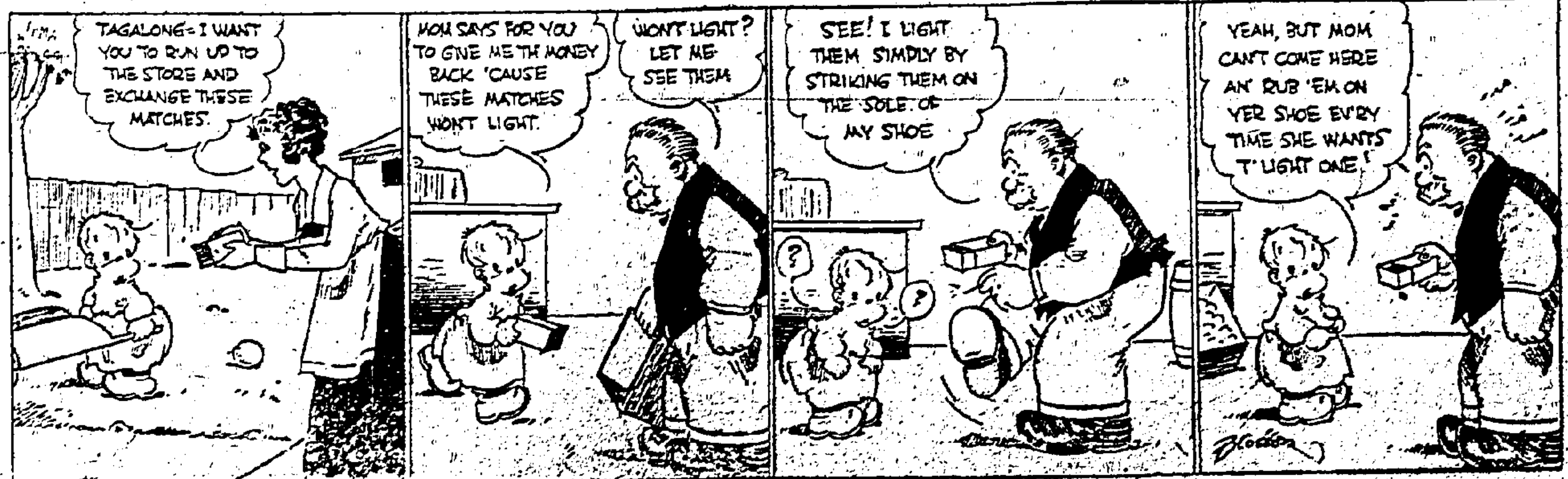
IRONMASTERS ABANDON FIXED PRICES.

Cleveland ironmasters announced on the Middlesex Commercial Exchange, on the 12th. ult. that they had decided to discontinue the practice which has ruled since the outbreak of war of fixing the price of Cleveland pig iron.

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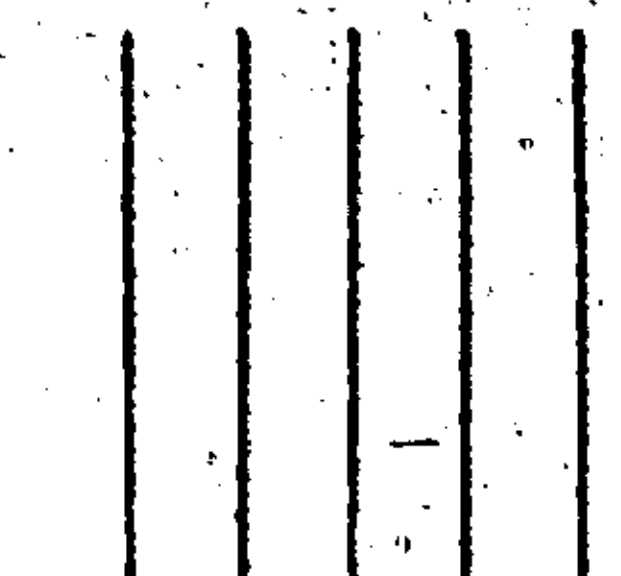
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TUBERCULOSIS.

It is seldom realised, we fear, how heavy is the mortality caused in Hongkong by the dread scourge of tuberculosis. At the moment, we have not the figures for the past year by us, but taking the cases dealt with at the Tung Wah Hospital during 1921 we find that out of 800 admissions there were no fewer than 350 deaths from this disease alone. That, of course, would only represent a tithe of the toll revealed by the vital statistics for the whole Colony.

Yesterday we published a summary of the conclusions reached by the Government Bacteriologist after an investigation into tuberculosis as a cause of death, especially with regard to the prevalence and character of the disease in children. Dr. Scott states that this particular disease is a frequent cause of death in Hongkong, and he comes to the conclusion that its prevalence is closely connected with social and economic conditions. In other words, the conditions under which the mass of the populace lives (overcrowding and the absence of sunlight from the living room) encourage the disease, which is directly spread by the Chinese habit of expectorating at all times and places. As to the economic drawbacks, these can only be remedied by the spread of better sanitary and hygienic conditions. Drastic action towards these ends is impossible. But by graduated plans and systematic effort it is the duty of the authorities to aim at better housing conditions for the bulk of the population. The human rabbit-warrens in the native quarters must in course of time be demolished and their places taken by more modern structures. The spitting habit is extremely difficult to counter, for ordinary appeals and injunctions appear to have little effect. The authorities, however, might well consider a more thoroughgoing and persistent campaign against this disgusting and injurious habit than hitherto attempted.

The point naturally suggests itself whether all that is possible is being done for those actually stricken by the disease. We know that at Home widespread efforts are made to check the

disease, once it has made its appearance, and there is ample proof that arrested in its early stages by proper treatment, it can be successfully treated. Here in Hongkong, despite the wide prevalence of the disease, sanatoria treatment is not provided, which suggests that this is a matter which ought to engage the earnest attention of the Government and of the big native charitable institutions.

Lord Northcliffe.

However much his policies may have been disliked in certain quarters, Lord Northcliffe, whose death is just reported, is genuinely mourned by the British press the world over. He was a man of action, of dynamic energy, one who knew his business from A to Z, and who proved the modern power of newspapers. His father, a barrister, wanted the future publisher to follow that profession also, but he early showed a decided tendency toward journalism, and entered the writing profession in London when 16 years old. When 21, he founded *News* on the theory that a paper cheaply produced could be made within financial reach of the masses. As this was a departure from established journalism, failure was emphatically predicted for the young publisher. But a few years later he sold *News* for over a million sterling. Next he bought the *Daily Mail*, and with it ventured into the then untrodden field of "tabloid journalism," the telling of news briefly and concisely. In three years the *Daily Mail* attained the largest circulation of any newspaper in the English language. He rapidly obtained control of other newspapers and magazines (including the *Times*) until he became the largest newspaper and magazine owner in the world and one of the richest and most powerful men in the British Empire.

Welcome Recruits.

The R.I.C.—which initials, it is scarcely necessary to mention, signify the Royal Irish Constabulary—will occupy a special page in history. Like that Canadian force the North West Border Mounted Police, which also may be long be a thing of the past, the R.I.C. had a semi-military character. Throughout the bitter struggles over Home Rule this organisation rendered yeoman service in the cause of law and order. With the passage of the Irish Treaty, the R.I.C. has been disbanded, and some of its members, it is lamentable to have to record, have been the victims of dastardly attacks by bands of ruffians from the ranks of the Sinn Féin extremists. Very many, probably including Irish men, regret the dispersal of such a splendid corps. However, one's loss is another's gain, and it is good news that the Crown Agents have secured a number of these seasoned men, including a contingent for this Colony. Two ex-R.I.C. recruits have reached here, the advance-guard of the fairly substantial quota obtained for Hongkong. They will be doubly welcomed. Their past services give them a claim upon the gratitude of all loyal subjects of the Empire, and their arrival is most opportune. The criminal ebullition of recent months has been brought into notice again this week. On Sunday a dastardly murder occurred at West Point, and on Monday night Samshui-po was the scene of another, while a murderous attack was carried out in Gresson Street, the perpetrator escaping in each instance. With the prospective accession to the Colony's Police, it may be hoped that Kowloon will soon be accorded a fuller share of protection.

Shanghai's Team.

Shanghai look like getting together a representative side, or at the least a very strong one, for the Interport cricket carnival. Those definitely mentioned as starters include Capt. Barrett and Dr. O'Hara, the star batsman and bowler respectively of the Model Settlement, who gave our men such a handling when they went north in the spring of last year. The medico-cricketeer, handicapped by an illness, fell away, but he is now recovering his form. Neither of this pair was in the team that visited the Colony two years ago, and the probability is that the northern port will be considerably more formidable than on that occasion. Of three who were here then, the pick are expected to be in the coming team, these comprising that starling bat H. B. Ollerdsen, Leach

DAY-BY-DAY.

IS IT NOT OUR SAFEST COURSE, WITHOUT LOOKING TO CONSEQUENCES, TO DO SIMPLY WHAT WE THINK RIGHT DAY BY DAY?—Cardinal Newman.

One non-fatal case of diphtheria (British) was notified yesterday.

A Peking telegram states that President Li Yuan-hung has sent a representative to Shanghai to interview Sun Yat-sen on important issues.

A diamond and platinum watch, valued at \$300, is reported to be missing by the tenant of No. 2, St. Stephen's Lane. It is assumed that the watch, which was left on a writing table, was inadvertently picked up with a pile of waste-paper and thrown into the dustbin.

An amah living at No. 25 Taihang village, whose disappearance recently from this address is alleged to have some connection with the theft of a sum of \$400 and a pair of bangles from her employers' bedroom, has been arrested by the police and will be charged before the Magistrate.

WATER POLO LEAGUE.

The only Water Polo League game played yesterday was that between the Lusitano Recreation Club and the R.G.A., the former winning by 3 goals to 2. Barros (2) and Franco scored for the winners and Woods for the losers.

The King's U.A.C. match was postponed.

In a friendly the V.R.C. and U.A.C. played a drawn game of 4 goals each. Buschaert scored all the goals for the V.R.C. and Laing (3) and Botelho obtained the points for the U.A.C.

The following matches have been arranged for Thursday: L.R.C. v. U.A.C.; V.R.C. v. King's.

PIRACY.

Loss of \$25,000.

An official report to the police concerning a piracy that occurred aboard a launch and tow boat trading between Hongkong and Kowloon on Thursday last disclosed the outrage as having been committed when the vessels passed opposite Sai Ma Lin village.

The men boarded from a small junk and drove the crew with revolvers and rifles into the forepeak of the lighter and stole 2,800 bags of rice valued at \$25,000.

Other property stolen was a diaphy, a pair of binoculars, a small sum of money and various articles of clothing.

The total loss is placed at \$25,222 which included, of course, the rice. The steam launch is named the Lai Fat.

STAR THEATRE.

Miss Marguerite Clark appears at the Star Theatre this evening when she takes the leading role in an entertaining story. Three inveterate bachelors who have had their views on the opposite sex to a considerable degree soured by their own unfortunate ventures, set out to seek peace in an Eve-less wilderness. All goes well until the unexpected arrival of a particularly nice specimen of the hated sex, who disturbs the even tenor of their way and heads them straight for disaster. The most fastidious could find no flaw in the conception of the amusing situation that is then brought about, nor the delicately-coloured photography, that makes every bit of sylvan scenery brought within the focus of the camera one of impressive charm.

a rattling all-rounder, Allison, a capital fast bowler, and Clive Brooke, an admirable stumpers. Clifford, a steady bat, who was also here, may come, as may Cookburn, the all-round recruit from the Straits, who showed fine form against the Garrison team that went to Shanghai a few months ago. The only notable name that does not appear to have been mentioned at present is T.W.B. Wilson, one of the best bowlers at the Yangtze port. Clearly our men will have to go all the way if they are to repeat the 1920 victory.

ROUND THE TOWN.

[By "Gadabout."]

I don't know if it's the air, or its geographical position, or what it is, but for real healthy youngsters I'm sure Kowloon must be hard to beat. For lung power I've never seen anything anywhere to touch it. There's hardly a nipper there who wouldn't make a good sergeant-major. And Kowloon's there in quantity as well as quality. It's kids to the right of you, kids to the left of you, kids behind you, kids in front of you—kids are everywhere. "Angry Mother" or "Paterfamilias" will be asking, I suppose, whether or not I was ever a kid myself. I was, and I might also mention that I'm rather fond of youngsters, but everything in its place. And the place for children and their amahs is not sitting on the curbstone outside people's houses at half-past six or seven o'clock on a Sunday morning. Of course, it's very nice for the fond parent. About six o'clock baby cries. They don't want to get up at that unearthly hour; they want to sleep. So they call amah. Amah's to take baby for a walk. Amah and baby go out and meet heaps more amahs and their little charges. They all seem to collect round our house to set up their wailing, but I expect really other people get worried just as much as we do. But the annoying thing is this. If we had some babies we could send 'em round to do their howling outside the houses in which the offending parents dwell. Kind of retaliation, you see. But the worst of it is we can't. We haven't any babies. We're bachelors' mess.

"There he is; ewot him!" Biff. Bang. "Ugh; here he is." Bang. "Got him." No, dear reader, it was not a burglar; it was only a cockroach. He flew into the mess dining room and as none of us like cockroaches we couldn't rest till he had breathed his last, incidentally making a nasty mess on the book somebody had been reading. Still, it wasn't my book, so I didn't worry any. Funny how almost everybody hates cockroaches, isn't it? You have a sort of repugnance towards them. After the first swipe our unwelcome visitor whizzed through the air and landed on one of the fellows standing near. You should have seen him run. And yet that chap's got a collection of some of the most poisonous snakes in the world that he's killed. He's scared to death of a cockroach. Like women, there's many a member of the fair sex got plucked enough for anything, but there aren't many who'll tackle a mouse. But, talking about cockroaches, we can thank our lucky stars we live in Hongkong. There's a chap in the West Indies bigger than ours, so I read the other day. He makes tapping noise on wood, and when he and some of his pals are on the job at the same time, it's said that they make sufficient row to wake up the whole house. I read, too, a little tip for getting rid of these pests. When the lights are out at night lay some treacle on a piece of wood affixed on a broad basin of water. "This proves a temptation to the vermin too great to be resisted," it says. Don't blame me if it doesn't work. I haven't tried it yet. I pass it on for what it's worth.

Not a thousand-miles from where this paper is printed and not a long time ago there was a dance, at which the music was supplied by a Jazz Band whose weird strains completely captivated everybody present. It was some "band, believe me. Fox-trots, waltzes and one-steps were all rendered with equal skill, and at the end of each number the devotees of the light fantastic clamoured for more. Everybody was happy and gay and the evening quickly wore on. Nobody seemed to notice how the time was flying. At the conclusion of one item the applause was freely given, while the dancers, in breathless expectation, waited for the music to recommence. Saxophones were picked up, the fiddlers fondled their violins, the banjo man caressed his instrument with loving pride, the drummer gathered his sticks and cymbals, and the jazzers chose their partners for the next dance. The band struck up. Their pulses throbbing, their eyes sparkling, their hearts beating madly, their blood coursing through their veins as the familiar jazzy sounds once more set nerves a-shingle, the couples moved off. Swaying to the weird melody, round and round they glided,

THE SWATOW
DISASTER.

Funds Still Being Raised.

Funds continue to be raised for the relief of the needy at Swatow. Last week-end, there were street processions organised by Mr. Tsang Foo, Honorary President of the Chung Sing Benevolent Society, and the result was that the excellent sum of \$7,067.37 was raised. The collectors were personally headed by Mr. Tsang Foo, and besides banknotes and coin even personal jewellery was obtained. The fund is being handled by the Tung Wah Hospital, of the Committee of which Mr. Tsang Foo is a member. It is hoped to be able to obtain permission for a further street collection this week-end.

The public subscription fund opened by the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce now stands as follows:—

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Then one couple suddenly stopped. A hectic flush appeared on both their cheeks, the male automatically stiffening as he came to attention. Another couple shame-facedly halted. Then another. They all stopped. A light began to dawn on all their countenances. The band was playing "God Save the King."

CORRESPONDENCE.

To the Editor of the "Hongkong Telegraph."

Laodicean Comment.

Sir,—Regarding the Registration of Persons Bill, I see the Daily Press of this morning has a very thoughtful leading article on the subject. It is full of thought—all shades of thought. I prefer to put it that way instead of saying it is inconsistent—which it is. To read the first sixteen inches of your leader, even the meanest intellect would be forgiven if it assumed that the D.P. was against the Bill. By means of a series of pertinent questions, in the most telling way, in the world it strips and reveals this ordinance for the hateful thing it is. It scarcely thinks that a good case has yet been made out for irritating legislation of this character; it asks if it is really necessary in order to prepare beforehand for an emergency that the Government should have a permanent ordinance of this character; it compares the ordinance under discussion to the old Prussian system of police inspection; it rails generally and convincingly against the obnoxious features of the Bill. Why compel people to furnish information if you cannot compel them to perform the service they are qualified to render? Fine. Very well put indeed.

But, suffering sailor, having got that far, what does it go and do but suggest to the Government that the difficulty of keeping voluntary information up-to-date, might be overcome by requiring folk to register annually as they do in the Treaty Ports. You see, it's this way. The D.P. hates registration, but, in order to make it more palatable, we should have it served up yearly doses. We'll get all the more used to it that way. Annual registration is its idea of placing the Government in possession of information to meet a sudden emergency. Thus the D.P. would out-Prussian the Prussians. But that's not all. It winds up about twenty-three inches of cerebral confusion with the following: "There does not appear, in short, to be any real necessity for irritating the public year by year with the police supervision and inquisition provided for in the present Bill." Hot, cold, and then hot again. The man who wrote your leader needs a rattle or at least a bit of blue baby ribbon so that he may know his right arm from his left. He reminds me of St. John the Divine and of what he would write unto the angel of the church of the Laodiceans:

I know thy works, that thou art neither cold nor hot: I would that thou were cold or hot.

So then because thou art lukewarm and neither cold nor hot, I will spue thee out of my mouth.

Yours, aye,
ROBT. MACWHIRTER.
Hongkong, Aug. 16, 1922.

ARMED ROBBERY.

Interrupted Morning Meal.

An armed robbery was committed at No. 49 Des Voeux Road Central this morning in premises occupied by a Chinese import and export firm. It is related that shortly after 9.30 ten men, armed with dusters and revolvers, rushed into the shop, held up the proprietor and ten foks who were having their morning meal, and, after binding and gagging them, proceeded to investigate the contents of two safes, the keys of which they took from the proprietor. The money stolen is said to amount to over \$500, but may prove to be much more by reason of the fact that included amongst the loot were American dollars and notes. The police have been informed and detectives are taking up the case.

TYPHOON WARNING.

The telegram quoted below was received by the American Consulate-General, Hongkong, from the Manila Observatory at 8.30 a.m. to-day:—

Warning.—Low pressure area extending from the China Sea to the Pacific across Northern Luzon and the Balintag Channel. A real typhoon may develop later.

HONGKONG ROADS.

Extensions and Improvements.

In connection with the proposed new motor road which will link up Wong Nei Cheong Gap with Repulse Bay, and thus bring the latter place within a fifteen-minute's motor ride of the City, tenders were recently called for the construction of the first portion. The Hon. Director of Public Works, on whom a Telegraph representative called this morning, stated that, owing to the scarcity of road labour, it was rather difficult to forecast the date by which the road would be completed and opened for traffic. The Department was hoping to get the work finished next year, but there was some very heavy cutting to be done. The work would be pushed forward as quickly as possible.

In furtherance of the Government's scheme for the development of Mount Cameron (above Wanchai Gap) a start has been made on constructing a road round the south side of the hill. For the present, the road will only be pushed sufficiently far to give access to the majority of sites, but, later on, it will probably be carried on the Middle Gap and then on to Wong Nei Cheong Gap. When the last-named stretch is completed a motor road will thus be made available direct from the Peak level to Repulse Bay, doing away with the necessity for cars to come down to the Bowen Road level. The full completion of the scheme is very much in the future, and for the time being work will be concentrated on opening up Mount Cameron for building purposes, the amount of land available being considerable.

Victoria Road (commonly known as Jubilee Road), which runs from Kennedy Town to Pokfulam, is also due for improvement. Many of the corners are dangerous and the tortuous nature of the road makes its use by motor cars restricted. The work will be carried out gradually as opportunity offers, no big work being contemplated at present, although a start has been made. In addition to providing a relief road from the City to the south side of the island, the projected improvements will do much towards opening up the big district served for residential purposes. Several new houses are due to be started soon.

CANTON NEWS.

General Chan's New Post.

To-day's news from our Canton correspondent is to the effect that General Chan King-ming returned to Canton yesterday and has taken up his headquarters at White Cloud Hill.

It is officially stated that the post of Commander-in-Chief of Cantonese troops will be abolished and that in its place a new office, that of Military Commissioner, will be created, to which General Chan will be elected by his subordinates.

A request has been made by Commander Sun Hung-ying that his force be permitted to return to Kwangai via the north-west border of Kwangtung, but this has been refused by General Yip Kue.

Ho Sui-ting, a regimental commander, has been appointed to strengthen the defences of Ching-shan, near Macao, all the forces there to be placed under his control.

A Peking telegram states that President Li Yuan-hung intends to ask General Chan King-ming's concurrence in the issuing of a mandate appointing Tang Shao-yi as Civil Governor of Canton. The Commanders of the Cantonese troops have recently dispatched a united telegram to General Ngai Bong-ping (says the Canton Times) entreating him to withdraw his resignation and resume his duties that more good work may be again rendered to the people of his own province. To this General Ngai replies that since he has long tendered his resignation from all his posts, he now intends to take a trip to foreign countries in order to advance his knowledge of Western ideas. He can, therefore, simply thank them for their good wishes. Further, he hopes that on his return to his country in the near future, when peace is again restored, he will have the privilege of seeing them again.

General Chan King-ming has also dispatched a similar telegram to General Ngai and the reply is practically the same as that given to the generals.

FLYING ROUND THE WORLD.

Major Blake Expected Here Soon.

Major Blake, the noted British aviator, who is at present on a round-the-world flight, is expected in Hongkong shortly, and preliminary arrangements are being made for his reception here. In the welcome to be extended to the aviator and his party the Government and the Hongkong Aero Club (of which Mr. A. G. Lamplugh is Hon. Secretary) will join.

At the moment it is not known precisely when Major Blake will arrive or how long he is likely to stay. However, the Government hopes to hear on these points from Singapore and Bangkok and will make all necessary arrangements with regard to supply of motor spirit, etc. It is possible that if the noted aviator stays here more than a day he will be a guest at Government House and be officially entertained in appropriate manner. Everything is contingent on the duration of his stay.

It is expected that the seaplane by which Major Blake is continuing his long trip will arrive in Kowloon Bay, and that it will be later towed by launch to a buoy set aside for the purpose. The aviator and his companions will then most likely be escorted to the Hongkong Hotel, where they will be entertained by members of the Aero Club. After leaving Hongkong, Major Blake will proceed to North China and Japan, thence to the Aleutian Islands and Vancouver, then across Canada to the United Kingdom.

STRAITS F.M.S.

Easy Cricket Win for the Federated Players.

The Colony cricket team had a sorry time at Kuala Lumpur during the week-end, the men from the F.M.S. inflicting one of the severest defeats that the Straits has experienced for many years. That the States fully deserved their success is unquestionable. In all departments of the game the Colony was outplayed, and at the end of the first day there was little doubt as to the result. The Straits had the advantage of batting first on a true wicket, but failed so completely that the side was out before the luncheon adjournment for the meagre total of 103. Whilst the F.M.S. attack was of a high order, well managed and supported by excellent fielding, it did not entirely account for their opponents' low scoring. The batting, generally, was woefully weak, little resolution, determination or forcefulness being displayed by any of the Straits representatives. In marked contrast was the F.M.S. reply vigorous, confident batting piling up a winning score of 315, the best displays coming from Grenier (72) and Rhodes (88).

Again the Colony showed up badly, the bowling lacking sting whilst many mistakes were made in the field. Clarke was the pick of the many bowlers tried, delivering thirty-one overs which included nine maidens and taking four wickets at a cost of 74. Any hopes that the Straits may have entertained of making a fight for it were dashed to the ground on Monday by the heavy rain, which rendered the pitch difficult and the opposing bowlers' task easier. Under the circumstances, the second effort of 128 by the Colony might have been worse, and the performances, of Marshall (35), Holder (29) and Riches (23) were distinctly creditable. Holmes-Brown proved most effective with the bat, his five wickets costing only 31 runs. Altogether a staggering blow for Straits cricket, but scarcely an accurate reflection of its real standard and true form. We hope for something better next year. —Singapore Free Press, Aug. 9.

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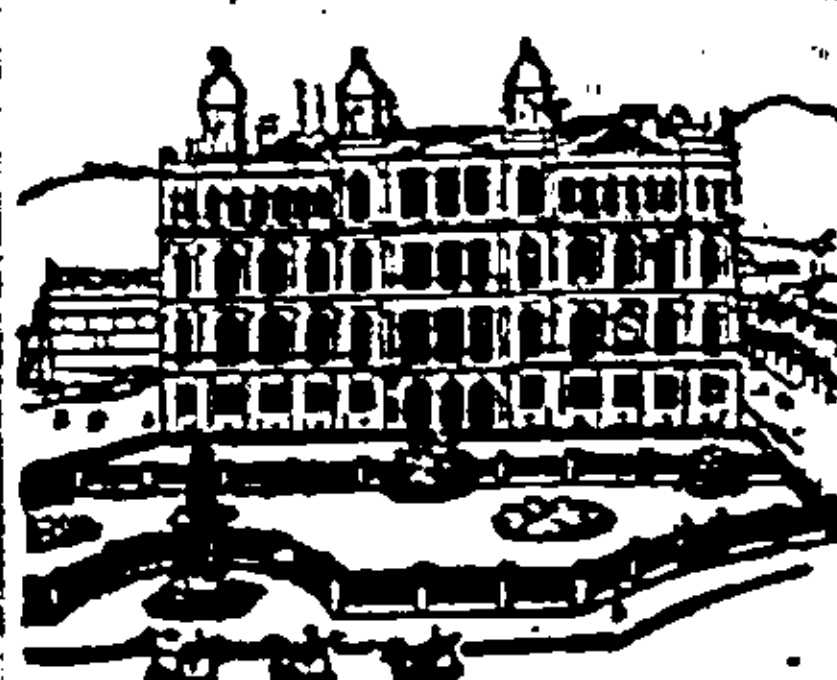
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A BRITISH MISSION TO TIBET.

British Buddhists to Visit Lhasa.

A British Buddhist mission is about to visit Tibet. Certain members of the party, charged with making the necessary arrangements, are already on their way to India. The mission has among its objects a closer investigation of the Tibetan people, their customs, religion and language, than has yet been possible, together with a study of rare books and manuscripts known to exist in the monastic libraries.

An audience will be sought with the Dalai Lama, spiritual head of that branch of the Buddhist Church which prevails in Tibet, at the Potala, his great temple-palace in Lhasa. The opportunity will be taken to present credentials and gifts from Buddhist societies all over the world.

All the members are British members of the Buddhist Church, and expect to be received by the Tibetans with sympathy and goodwill. But they have been selected also for their scientific attainments and experience, and are qualified to make accurate observations and studies of the country. The members of the mission, as Buddhists going to India, possess credentials necessary for such study as has never before been even attempted. They proceed under the auspices of the International Buddhist Union, representing all schools of Buddhism, and of the Buddhist societies throughout the Western world, including the Buddhist Society of Great Britain, the Maha-Bodhi Society of India, Ceylon, and Burma, and the Sangha of Ceylon.

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THE BARBARIC CULT.



BARBARISM is the order of the day, sartorially speaking. The South Seas, India, China, Egypt, Persia and other corners of the earth are yielding up their trinkets and jewels and we are wearing them all—frequently all at once.

Earrings have developed to such proportions one can't help wondering just how long the earlobe is going to stand the strain.

Some of them reach to the shoulder—the earrings—a cascade of jewels and metals. Often the jewels are as large as a pea.

The number of bracelets a woman may wear is limited, naturally, by the linear measurement between her knuckles and her shoulders, but the average arm will accommodate a surprising number.

These vary from coiled serpents of gold or silver, which wrap about the upper arm several times, to heavy gold bands, like handcuffs.

It is quite the fashion to wrap a long string of pearls about the wrist and let the strands fall far over the hand. This is very Oriental.

Jewelled daggers are popular for turbans. Sometimes the whole turban is made of silk or metal cloth, thickly studded with jewels in barbaric colours.

The simplest frock or coat sports a belt of woven beads or jewels or medallions, set in old metal.

No longer is the single strand of pearls the thing. One now wears several. A heavy cord of woven seed pearls is highly desirable.

Pendants of carved ivory are very smart, worn on a black ribbon. Often, too, a life-sized rose of carved white ivory will be stationed on the end of a necklace.

Beads of carved ivory are very much prized and many display exquisite handwork.

Heavy tassels of small pearls or other stones are the correct finish for jewelled chains.

Designers say the tendency is to grow more barbaric and to include more nationalities in our daily exhibit, as the season advances.

LOOKING AFTER THE TYPEWRITER.

The typewriter should always be dusted every day after use, not just flicked with a duster, but a small toothbrush carefully brushed over the various intricate parts. A soft brush with a crooked handle should be employed for the underneath parts which cannot be

reached with the toothbrush. Every crevice ought to be inspected thoroughly.

After the brushing rub over all the nickel with a small chamoin cloth—don't ever use any metal polish to nickel or lacquer, as it only eats away the lacquer and exposes the base metal underneath. If the bright parts of the machine are rubbed over daily, they will keep quite shiny.

Next lift up the type with a long, thin skewer or hatpin, and brush each batch with the toothbrush, especially any letters which appear blurred or clogged.

Oiling should be done once a week, and then only very sparingly. The best way is to use a proper oil can with a long, pin-pointed feeder, and squirt a drop or two into the oil-holes of the machine. If any other parts

BEADS AND EMBROIDERY.



Beads and embroidery used together decorate a great many of the French imports for summer.

require oiling, as, for instance, the nickel rods or part of the carriage, use a cloth dipped in paraffin and rub it lightly over them.

All the tools for cleaning the typewriter should be kept in a special box for the purpose, and be sure to remember to have an old pair of housemaid's gloves to put on while cleaning the typewriter, as typewriting ink is very difficult to get off the fingers.

All machines ought to be covered at night and when not in use.

MY FASHION NOTE BOOK.

The knitted jumper has returned to fashion in a new guise. In its latest form we see it hand-knitted and made of rather dark-hued artificial silk with strands of metallic tissue thread mingling with the silk. This produces a wonderful speckled or shot effect that not infrequently is worked so as to produce a broche-like design. Jumpers of this sort are made on loose-fitting lines, large bell-shaped sleeves taking the place of the short sleeves of yesterday, while a new and very noteworthy characteristic is deep hems, sleeve bands, and a hatter collar that comes to a V decolletage in front, made of clipped wool trimming that is reminiscent of the wool floor mats made by the blind soldiers.

Other novelty silk jumpers are being trimmed with hand-embroideries showing quaint oriental designs, or conventional flowers worked in Russian cross-stitch.

BEAUTIFUL WRAPS.

There are some beautiful wraps for wear over summer gowns made of gay-coloured velour de Chine, lined with soft crepe de Chine that is broched or brocaded in wonderful oriental designs. A cape of this sort made in the new shade of Royal blue or chalk-white velour cloth, lined with black satin, makes an effective contrast to either a white or all-black toilette.

ODDS AND ENDS.

Rainbow ostrich feathers are a novelty. They are seen at their best draped over large hats. Rainbow gowns are featured, too. Seven or eight different coloured chiffons are fashioned into a bouffant skirt, joined to a silver or satin bodice.

Suede is the last word in millinery. The hat is of suede, trimmed with taffeta or satin. Sports hats require no trimming save a band or buckle.

A new type of shoe trees has a simple device so that the pair may be hooked on a bar or nail. This system keeps them off the closet floor and makes them decidedly accessible.

Dyed laces are very popular. Now they are being used on summer materials like voile, organdie and nets.

New necklaces and pieces of jewellery feature pale pink, coral pink and a deep cherry red. These are often seen in large beads and very large pendants.

Chinese blue is a trying colour to wear, but it is most popular for trimming. The frocks of figured materials, so popular now, are often adorned with it.

Sports skirts of white homespun are very popular now. Often they are fringed about the bottom or bound with ribbon. Sometimes they are buttonholed with wool, in white or in colours.

Some very beautiful Japanese fans are trimmed with real lace and Oriental ribbons. Tassels of beads hang from the handles.

Very large hats of coarse black straw are trimmed solely with large, gaudy flowers, painted on the brim.

Shoe manufacturers say heels will be higher this winter. Colour combinations in shoes continue to be popular.

Bead chains are growing much longer. Often they are worn twice or three times about the neck.

Batik handkerchiefs are most interesting to look at, even though they seem a trifle fantastic for ordinary use. Their lavish use of yellow, purple and red is at least different from the little hemstitched squares that was once considered the only thing permitted by good taste.

The soft felt hat with the rolling brim, simply bound in ribbon in self-tone or in a contrasting shade, is very practical for general sports wear and is seen everywhere.

THIS WEEK'S RECIPE.

Date Custard.

One and one-half cups milk, 3 eggs, $\frac{1}{4}$ cup sugar, $\frac{1}{2}$ cup stoned dates, $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon vanilla, $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon salt.

Scald milk. Beat eggs slightly with sugar and salt. Pour over milk and stir until sugar is dissolved. Add vanilla. Line buttered custard cups with dates and pour in milk and egg mixture. Set in a pan of hot water and bake in a moderate oven till firm to the touch.

A SMILING FACE.

It is an old fallacy that English people are badtempered at breakfast time, and one fostered by the glum looks one sees in the early morning.

This is a very bad habit, and one which is only too easily "caught," like a highly infectious disease.

Start the day with a smile and worries and annoyances dwindle and disappear as though by magic. Don't make a practice of getting "out of bed on the wrong side," bathing and dressing in depressed silence and entering the breakfast room with a short "Good morning" for everyone before burying yourself unobscured in newspapers.

Smile determinedly as you slip into your bath wrap; face the events of the day with cheerful anticipation as you take a brisk sponge-down—don't take too hot a bath, that always has ill-effects—and, if you can, finish with a cold shower before giving yourself an invigorating rub with a rough towel.

Think pleasant thoughts as you dress quickly, brush your hair with long awesps and administer a little energetic massage to the scalp. Don't "dress anyhow" because it isn't worth bothering about being smart for breakfast. Never anticipate trouble; a resolve to hope for and expect the best is seldom disappointed, since it breeds a self-confidence which is ready to meet difficulties with greater determination. Keep smiling and the world must perforce smile with you.

FOR LIGHT SLEEPERS.

People who sleep very lightly frequently spend many sleepless hours after once having been disturbed by some slight sound from the outer world. A comforting drink upon such occasions would often induce slumber, and for that reason a thermos flask full of warm milk or weak tea should be taken up to the bedroom, with a tiny tray on which a cup and saucer reposes.

Tea taken in bed does not keep one awake, but only if it is drunk while still up—the stimulating action in the latter case making one wide-eyed for many hours. In bed, however, it seems to soothe and induce a peace of mind which soon brings about the desired sleep.

FRENCH TUB FROCK.

No longer is "the simple little wash dress" a trifling item in the wardrobe. One pays as much for a simple tub frock now—in Paris—as for any other sort of frock. So-called tub materials have become so distinguished and so expensive that the couturiers design to manipulate them, and of course, when a French couturier works with any sort of material, one pays for the work—and for the magical name stitched inside the frock! The smart lingerie frock of the moment—as created by Paris—is of linen, embroidered by hand, beaded or decorated with lines of hand-hemstitching. The linen is of that cobwebby quality called handkerchief linen and these frocks are as distinguished in their way as lace-trimmed chiffons of other seasons.

BLOOMER DRESSES OF ORGANDIE.



The most popular trimmings for the new Bloomer dresses are cross-stitch smocking and applique. There are no restrictions as to colour.

STENCILLED BATHING GOWNS.

Bathing frocks made of natural-coloured tussore silk, adorned with grotesque figures stencilled in black or colours, are creating a sensation at several of the smart French bathing centres.

After the same style are bathing dresses made of white artificial silk, bordered and bashed with stencilled and stamped silk, tricot that show silhouette portraits of its wearers in various attitudes, such as diving, swimming, or shrimping—these novel silhouette drawings being applied on to the hem of the skirt, which now covers all the most fashionable bathing gowns.

PARISIAN COMPROMISE.



If you use the new side draper, you may have your skirts short and your draper long or reverse the order. It doesn't matter.

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Many bathing suits combine two brilliant shades to somewhat startling effect. Black with a colour is equally popular, however. Embroidered bathing suits are entirely new. They are worked in floss, if the suits are of silk, and in yarn, if the suits are jersey.

GLITTERING EVENING GOWNS.

Now that the London fashion shows have definitely introduced to us the new season's modes, there is no doubt that metal lace, metal tissue, and metal moire will predominate in all the most beautiful formal gowns for evening wear.

Every dress of importance, whether for dance or dinner use, must show a glitter of gold or silver, if it is to be counted really fashionable. Amongst the most charming new fabrics one sees the use of draped gold moire made of metal and shot with peach colour, flame, green, or blue.

Draperies of gold and silver lace, or gold net shot with a colour, are also freely used to trim evening gowns, which are made much longer than they were last season, and are finished with wisp-like panel trains that are generally arranged so that they are worn twisted over one arm—rather than allowed to trail on the ground.

Evening dresses for debutantes, although longer than they were last season, are still far shorter than those shown for matrons' wear. The prettiest and most popular are those made with skirts of handkerchief draped tulle, and pretty, plain, cross-over bodices.

Matching the fashionable garlands of flowers, which join these bodices to the skirts, are wreaths of the same blossoms, worn crushed low on the hair, but not across the forehead.

These new wreaths are eminently suited to the new style of hairdressing—which reintroduces softly-curled fringes and allows far more of the ear to be shown than has been customary for some time past. Simple low dressings at the back of the head are as fashionable for young girls' wear as the high hairdressing is with matrons.

Day dresses destined for afternoon wear are trimmed with the new fanciful flowers that show all manner of curious combinations, and which are fashioned of every conceivable kind of fabric.

For instance, a beautiful black crepe morocain dress had its pretty cross-over draperies caught at one side with a large black chrysanthemum, showing petals made of the crepe and a yellow centre, while the lower half is composed of softly-falling black chenille fringe.

Novelty flowers made to simulate chrysanthemums, composed of little bunches of bebe ribbon, are to be seen adorning some of the prettiest "Mary" blue crepe de chine day dresses that the big Parisian dress-makers are turning out. Grilles of the new raffia flowers, that end in long trails that droop down one side, are being worn with plain black velvet chemise frocks.

Looped ribbon flowers of this sort are anything but difficult to make at home. A pretty variety of the new trimmings is to be found in sprays and bunches of autumn-tinted leaves, interspersed with fine fronds of ostrich feathers of the same colour, or showing similar tones—the tips of the feather fronds often being lightly touched with gold or bronze paint.

SHELLS & FISH SCALES, FOR TRIMMING.

The vogue for using shells as an addition to bead trimming has now given way to an even greater novelty. Fish-scales are the latest form of trimming. Dyed in the daintiest and most delicate colours, they are being used by the foremost Parisian dressmakers, who are cleverly working them up into all manner of pretty designs, and using them to trim the latest evening gowns.

The favourite way to use the new fish scales is to work them into floral designs, the scales being used to form big petal blossoms or fairy-like garlands of minute flowers. Nor is the use of this novel trimming confined to frocks and jumpers. It has also invaded the millinery world, and fish-scale flowers to be seen adorning a great many of the new crinolines, straws and tulle hats that are now being made for Ascot; while belts and girdles of the same novelty trimming are being made and sold with great success by one of the leading trimming experts of Paris.

THE NEW SHOES.



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